GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
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SAFETY OF BIRDS FROM RESPIRATORY DISEASES
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether in Hatcheries of Poultry under intensive and semi-intensive methods, their own smell are big cause of stress and direct causes of many respiratory diseases;

(b) if so, the precautions taken to save the birds from such stress and respiratory diseases;

(c) whether there is any monitoring system to check such smell;

(d) if so, the most common diseases in poultry and serious ones, which lead to their deaths in a few days; and

(e) the number of deaths occur due to each disease and percentage of reporting?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR. DEBENDRA PRADHAN)

(a): No, Sir. In poultry hatcheries, incubators have adequate in-built provision for optimum ventilation so as to prevent any stress, smell and diseases.

(b)to(e): Do not arise.